



**The University of Jordan**  
**Accreditation & Quality Assurance Center**

**COURSE Syllabus**

1	Course title	Risk Management in Financial Institutions
2	Course number	5203318
3	<i>Credit hours</i> (theory, practical)	3
	<i>Contact hours</i> (theory, practical)	3
4	Prerequisites/corequisites	Principles of Financial Management
5	Program title	Risk management and insurance
6	Program code	03
7	Awarding institution	The university of Jordan / Aqaba Branch
8	Faculty	Management and Finance
9	Department	Risk Management and Insurance
10	Level of course	3
11	Year of study and semester (s)	
12	Final Qualification	B.A.
13	Other department (s) involved in teaching the course	None
14	Language of Instruction	English
15	Date of production/revision	Revised yearly

**16. Course Coordinator:**

*Coordinator name, office numbers, office hours, contact information, etc.*

**17. Other instructors:**

*Office numbers, office hours, phone numbers, and email addresses should be listed.*

**18. Course Description:**

This course introduces more advanced topics in corporate finance which also is an extension to what student learned in the pre-request course.  
In more detail the course will discuss the importance of cash flows, agency problems, capital budgeting, investment decisions, capital structure, dividends policies, cash management and short –term finance and planning.

**19. Course aims and outcomes:**

A- Aims: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Understanding the importance of corporate finance in economy.</li> <li>✓ Understanding the valuation techniques.</li> <li>✓ Understanding the various capital investment decisions</li> <li>✓ Using sensitivity analysis in capital budgeting.</li> <li>✓ Discuss capital structure theories and their implication.</li> <li>✓ Discuss dividend policy and its relation to firm value.</li> <li>✓ Understand operating cycle, cash cycle, cash budgeting, and cash management.</li> </ul>
B- Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs): Upon successful completion of this course students will be able to ...
1- employ the concept of corporation as legal entity in financial decisions aims
2- ability to evaluate and select investments that have value added
3- ability to evaluate funding opportunities for corporate projects
4- ability to evaluate corporate payouts and its effect on stock price
5- ability to manage short term liquid assets using opportunity cost method

**20. Topic Outline and Schedule:**

Topic	Week	Instructor	Achieved ILOs	Evaluation Methods	Reference
Overview of corporate finance	1		1	<i>Lectures, HW, Quizzes, Short exams, Assignments</i>	Main Textbook
Valuation & capital budgeting techniques	2-7		2	<i>Lectures, HW, Quizzes, Short exams</i>	Main Textbook
Capital structure	8-11		3	<i>Lectures, HW, Quizzes, Short exams</i>	Main Textbook
Dividends policy	12-13		4	<i>Lectures, HW, Quizzes, Short exams</i>	Main Textbook
Short term finance	14-16		5	<i>Lectures, HW, Quizzes, Short exams</i>	Main Textbook

**21. Teaching Methods and Assignments:**

Development of ILOs is promoted through the following <u>teaching and learning methods</u> : <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1- presenting theoretical aspects of topics</li> <li>2- solving practical case studies</li> <li>3- using excel applications to solve problems</li> <li>4- presenting research papers</li> </ol>
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**22. Evaluation Methods and Course Requirements:**

Opportunities to demonstrate achievement of the ILOs are provided through the following assessment methods and requirements:

Exam	Day/Date	Time	Place	Weight
Quizzes, H.W, Short exams, projects, presentations, Assignments, etc.			Class room	30%
Mid- exam			Class room	30%
Final Exam	TBD	TBA		40%

**23. Course Policies:**

- A- Attendance policies: according to Jordanian university rules
- B- Absences from exams and handing in assignments on time: according to Jordanian university rules
- C- Health and safety procedures: according to Jordanian university rules
- D- Honesty policy regarding cheating, plagiarism, misbehavior: according to Jordanian university rules
- E- Grading policy: according to Jordanian university rules
- F- Available university services that support achievement in the course: computer lap , internet

**24. Required equipment:**

The course needs :

- 1- specific computer lap for faculty
- 2- periodical visits to corporations

**25. References:**

A- Required book (s), assigned reading and audio-visuals:  
Main Textbook: Corporate finance 9/e. by Ross/Westerfield/Jaffe

B- Recommended books, materials, and media:  
Essential of investment 4/e. By Bodie/Kane/ Marcus  
Fundamental of corporate finance (Ross) 8e

**26. Additional information:**

Name of Course Coordinator: -----Signature: ----- Date: -----  
Head of curriculum committee/Department: ----- Signature: -----  
Head of Department: ----- Signature: -----  
Head of curriculum committee/Faculty: ----- Signature: -----  
Dean: ----- -Signature: -----

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